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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP ART UNIT 1773

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed within two months of the Final Rejection mailed on October 10, 2006.
Thus this reply is subject to the "two month" rule.

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